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I agree with this settlement only to the extent that it ends a long and expensive litigation process. The entire suite was economically and Constitutionally unsound but it has now grown to the point that government money would be better spent on other perhaps less intrusive projects. The fact that the government is seeking to exert such obscene control over the high-tech industry is frightening but the prosoect of millions of taxpayer dollars being used to subsidize a longer trial is even more frightening.